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TO AMEMBASSY JIDDA

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SUBJECT: VICE PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE TO THE KING

1. FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF LETTER FROM THE VICE PRESIDENT TO HIS MAJESTY KHALID IBN ABD AL-AZIZ AL SAUD WHICH SHOULD BE PASSED TO HIS MAJESTY AT THE EARLIEST OPPORTUNITY.

BEGIN TEXT: YOUR MAJESTY: IT WAS A GREAT PRIVILEGE FOR ME TO BE ABLE TO EXPRESS TO YOU DIRECTLY THE PERSONAL CONDOLENCES OF THE PRESIDENT AND THE AMERICAN PEOPLE ON THE SAD OCCASION OF THE DEATH OF HIS MAJESTY, KING FAISAL.

YOUR MAJESTY'S HOSPITALITY AND THAT OF OTHER OFFICIALS OF YOUR GOVERNMENT IN CIRCUMSTANCES WHICH BURDENED YOU SO HEAVILY WAS MOST DEEPLY APPRECIATED. YOU HAVE MY MOST SINCERE THANKS FOR THE MANY COURTESIES WHICH WERE EXTENDED.

I AM GRATEFUL TO HAVE HAD THE CHANCE TO MEET PERSONALLY WITH YOU IN THE SPIRIT OF THE CLOSE AND COOPERATIVE RELATIONS THAT EXIST BETWEEN OUR TWO COUNTRIES AND LOOK FORWARD TO FUTURE MEETINGS.

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WITH BEST REGARDS. SINCERELY, NELSON A. ROCKEFELLER. END

TEXT.

2. LETTER DATED APRIL 1 BEING POUCHED. INGERSOLL

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